



THE SUNRISE MOVEMENT

a youth environmental movement

**STOP THE
CLIMATE CRISIS**

— INVEST IN —
RACIAL
— AND —
**ECONOMIC
JUSTICE**

JOIN THE
MVMT:
KNOW OUR
DEMANDS

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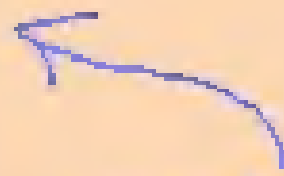
OUR GOVERNMENT
TO BE **BY AND FOR**
★ ★ ★ **THE PEOPLE**

**GOOD
— UNION —
JOBS
FOR
ALL**

*we all have
something to
lose in the
climate crisis...*



IT STARTED W/ PPL
LIKE U N ME!



varshini prakash

the sunrise movement was started by college students at university of massachusetts-amherst in 2013. varshini prakash (we'll call her vp) got the admin of her school to divest from fossil fuels by organizing sit-ins and protests. people at other schools were inspired to do the same, and eventually the student activists moved their efforts to a larger scale. in response to obama's climate plan in 2013, the political director, evan weber outlined a draft for the green new deal.



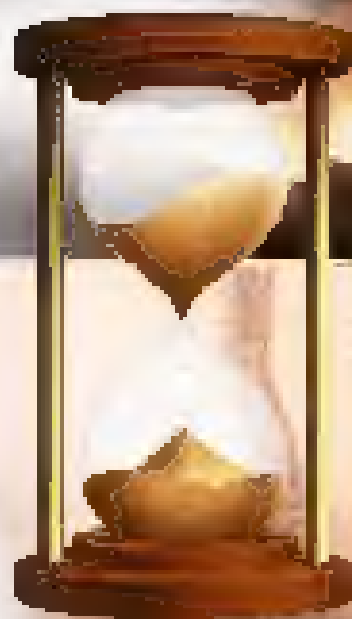
evan weber

hey your
plan
sucks!



the undeniable climate crisis
is worsening by the day &
costing innocent
lives/destroying
communities.

sunrise was born out of a
need to act from decades of
fossil fuel execs + the
politicians they support
driving climate catastrophe



we either **FIGHT** to stop
climate crises or we **let**
billionaires and fossil fuel
execs lead us to a hotter,
more brutal world



DEMANDS

**mobilizing youth.
mobilizing you.**

**green new deal: switch U.S. to 100% clean energy
+ create millions of jobs in the process.**

**congress reps
AOC & CORI
BUSH have
endorsed +
fought for the
green new deal**

**linking racial inequality to environmental justice
"every person has a right to clean air and water,
protection from disaster, access to healthy food,
and the promise of a comfortable life, no matter
the color of their skin or where they were born."**

**since gaining status as a non-profit in 2017,
sunrise pushed 23/25 pres. candidates to endorse
GRD + got record youth turnout to push biden to
create a more ambitious climate plan.**



JOIN the Civilian Climate Corps



along with the inflation reduction act, the Biden administration passed the Civilian Climate Corps (CCC), with ongoing pressure from sunrise (inspired by roosevelt's civilian conservation corps)

- 20,000 sustainable jobs/yr. for 10 yrs

We have the right Good Jobs and a Livable Future

NO MORE POLITICAL GAMES
TAKE ACTION OR GET OUT OF THE WAY

since drafting + releasing the green new deal, sunrise has grown into 290 autonomous hubs + is continuing to grow. made up mostly of student activists, this group continues to make waves in elections & thru DIY tactics like protests, marches, & most famously, sit-ins/occupations

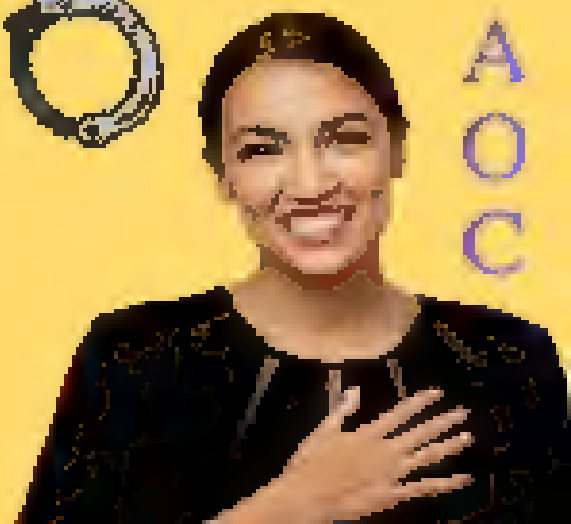
2017

250 members of sunrise

occupied nancy pelosi's office alongside newly elected AOC. 51 members got arrested but the green new deal got massive media attention for the 1st time. mymt grew x10 in 6 months



nancy pelosi



AOC

2050

IN 25 YEARS

1.2 billion people will become climate refugees. Disease will spread. people will drown, die from heat stroke, & starve due to a rising cost o food. 1/3 of crops are won't be growable. these costs will hurt all of us, but they will hurt low income, Black and brown communities the most.

FIGHT

for

climate racial economic justice



the mvmt is responsible for record youth turnout during midterms. growing 10x from 2016-2018, & 2x from 2018-2022, we now have over 500 national hubs.

our future is not promised
unless we act **NOW**.
sunrise relies on young
people like us who are
willing to take action.

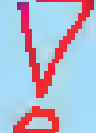
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join 1 of the 500 hubs today
we have no time to spare!

we're fighting for
what science
demands.. we need
ppl across race &
class to disrupt the
norm, take to the
streets, & create
change!



COMING UP: 12/5 
9-10 PM - CLIMATE
EMERGENCY CAMPAIGN
LAUNCH (virtual event)

 get Biden to
declare a state of
emergency for the
climate crisis